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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: C. Kao
TORU KOIZUMI)
: Group Art Unit: 2882
Application No.: 09/678,025)
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Filed: October 4, 2000)
:
For: SOLID-STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE)
AND IMAGE PICKUP SYSTEM (As :
Amended)) September 9, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The changes to the specification begin at page 2. The claim amendments are reflected in the listing that begins at page 3. The remarks begin at page 6.

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